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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension of time to March 7, 2005 (as March 5, 2005 is a Saturday) for responding to the Office Action mailed November 5, 2004.

A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed for the one-month extension fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any further fees necessitated by this request, or refund any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 12-0449.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.8, I hereby certify that this Request for Extension of Time in Application Serial No. 10/775,961 are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service by first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date of deposit indicated below.

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